



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

James P. Gardner, Jr.

Examiner:

Khoi Tran

erial No.:

10/696,013

Group Art Unit:

3651

Filed:

October 28, 2003

Docket No.:

00163.1306USC4

Title:

DATA PROCESSING SYSTEM FOR MANAGING CHEMICAL

PRODUCT USAGE

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.10:

"Express Mail" mailing label number: EV344668600US

Date of Deposit: January 3, 2005

I hereby certify that this paper or fee is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to Commissioner for Patents, Mail Stop Amendment, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Name: Paula Egolf

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed September 2, 2004, said period of response being extended from December 2, 2004 to January 3, 2005. (Note: January 2, 2005 fell on a Sunday).

Our check in the amount of \$120.00 is enclosed to cover the required extension fee for a large entity.

Dated: January 3, 2005

Respectfully submitted,

23552

PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE

David D. Wier, Reg. No. 48,229

Merchant & Gould P.C.

P.O. Box 2903

Minneapolis, MN 55402-0903

(303) 357-1647

01/06/2005 AWDNDAF1 00000046 132725 10696013 01 FC:1251 120.00 DP